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Remarks / Arguments

These drawings have been extensively modified to comply 37 CFR 1.84. The graphs have been changed to black and white line art, and the tables have been modified to be clearer. Also, the equations have been removed from the specification and included with the drawings. Each entry is properly identified with a "FIG." Preceding the drawing number.

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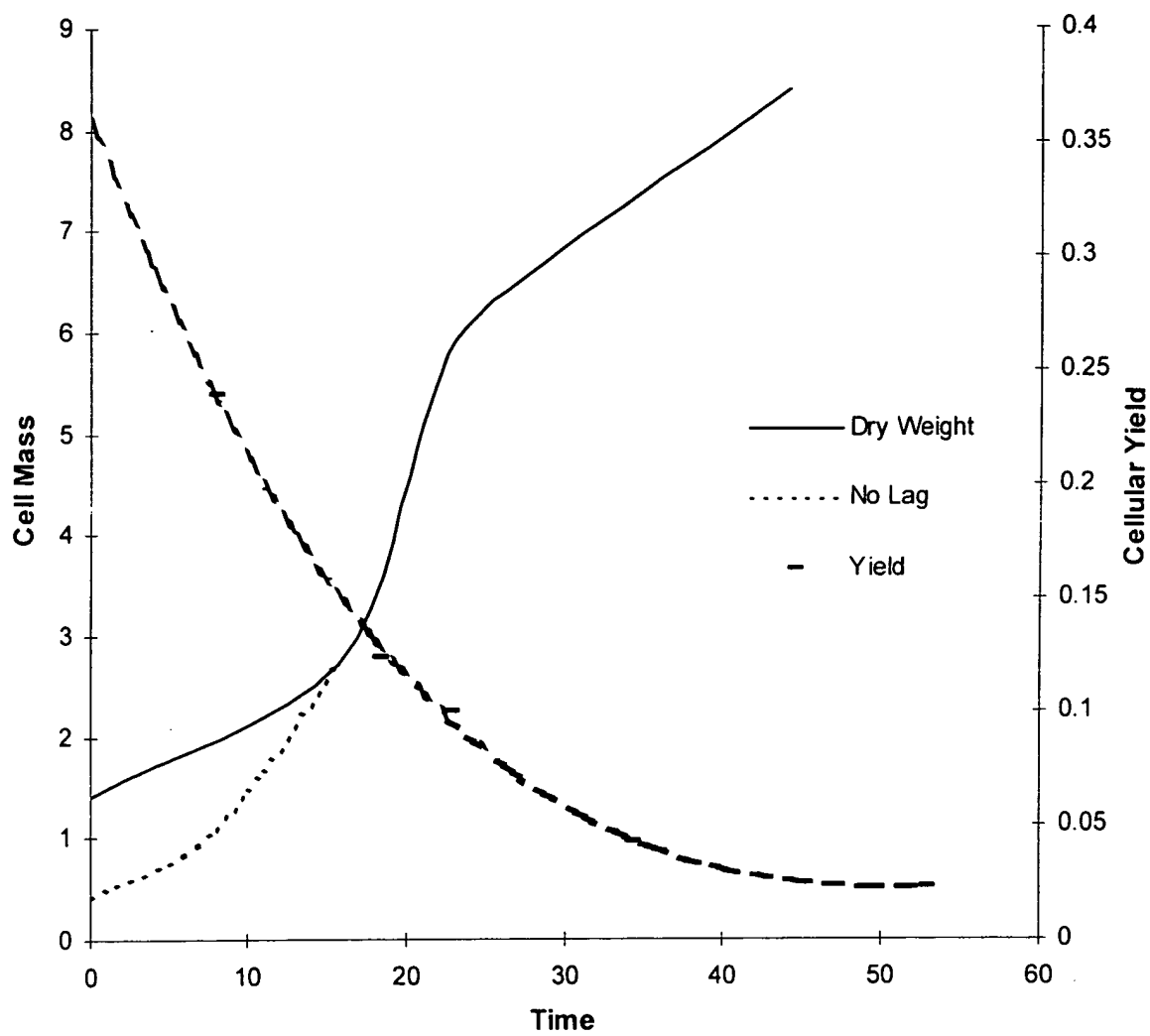


FIG.1

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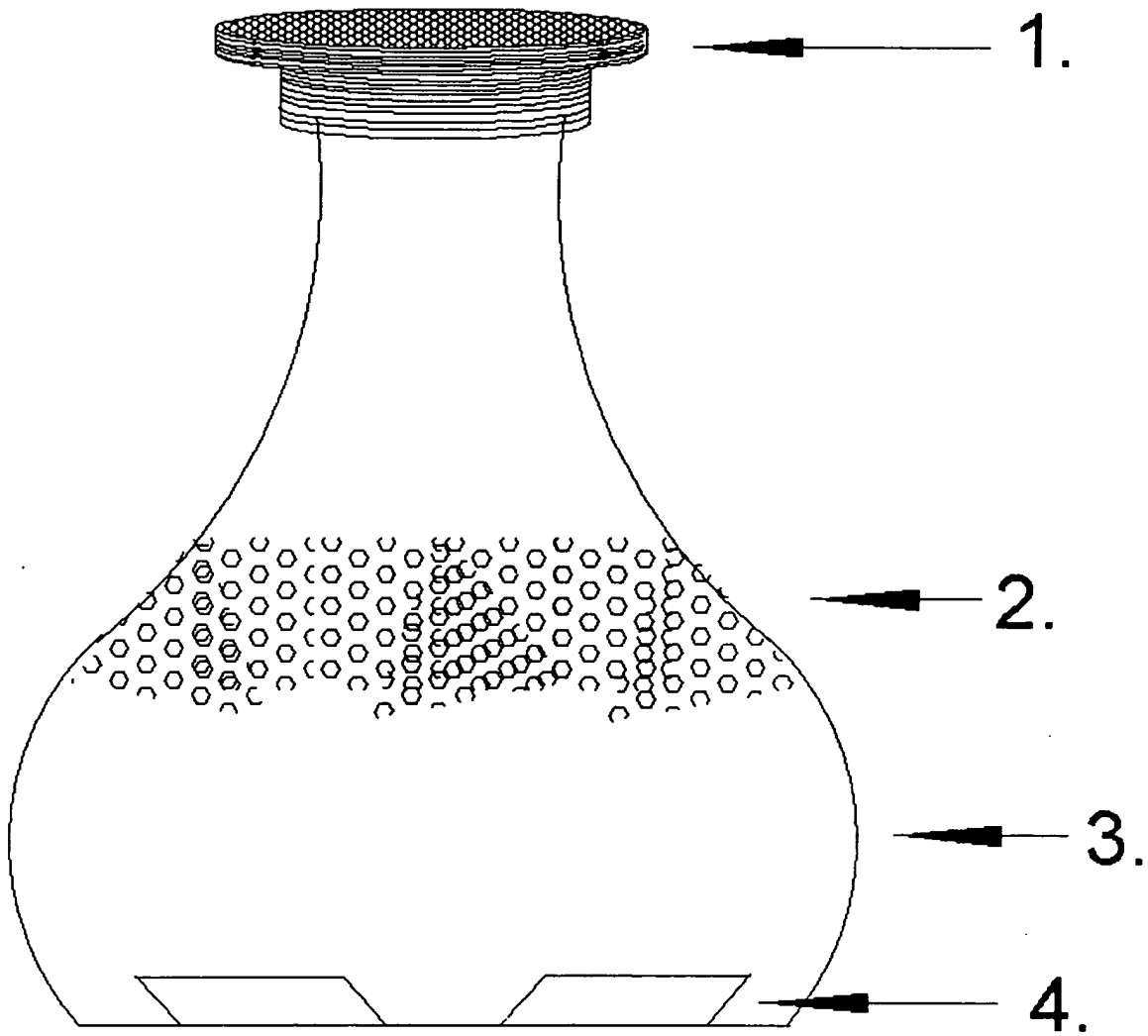


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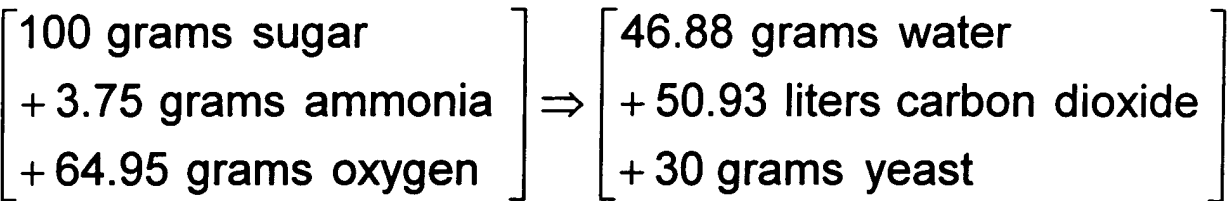


FIG.3

| Time During Fermentation | Yield (g cells/ g sugar) | Ammonia Needed (grams) | Water Produced (grams) | CO ₂ Produced (liters) | Yeast Produced (C ₆ H ₁₀ O ₃ N) (grams dry wt.) | Ethanol Produced (C ₂ H ₆ O) (grams)* |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| 1st 3rd | .15 | 18.70 | 5.1 | 22.51 | 15.04 | 41.19 |
| 2nd 3rd | .052 | .65 | 1.79 | 25.54 | 5.20 | 47.68 |
| 3rd 3rd | .023 | .29 | .79 | 26.44 | 2.30 | 49.61 |
| Overall | .05 | .626 | 1.72 | 25.60 | 5.00 | 48.52 |

FIG.4

CO₂ solubility (in l CO₂/l H₂O) =
- 1.06556266071 × ln(°F) + 5.38424482284

FIG.5

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$$\frac{\text{Change in yeast mass}}{\text{Change in time}} = \frac{\Delta X}{\Delta t} = \mu \times X$$

$$\ln \left[\frac{X}{X^0} \right] = \mu \times (t - t_{\text{lag}})$$

FIG.6

$$t_d = \frac{\ln(2)}{\mu}$$

FIG.7

$$\text{Ratio} \left[\frac{\text{ICO}_2}{\text{g sugar}} \right] = 0.271599039164 - (0.310674946821 \times \text{Yield})$$

FIG.8

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$$\text{Specific Gravity} = \\ (3.65201035996 \times 10^{-4}) \times S + 0.999953627005$$

FIG.9

$$Y = \frac{\Delta X}{\Delta S}$$

FIG.10

$$\left[\frac{\Delta X \text{ (for decay)}}{\Delta time} \right] = b \times X$$

FIG.11

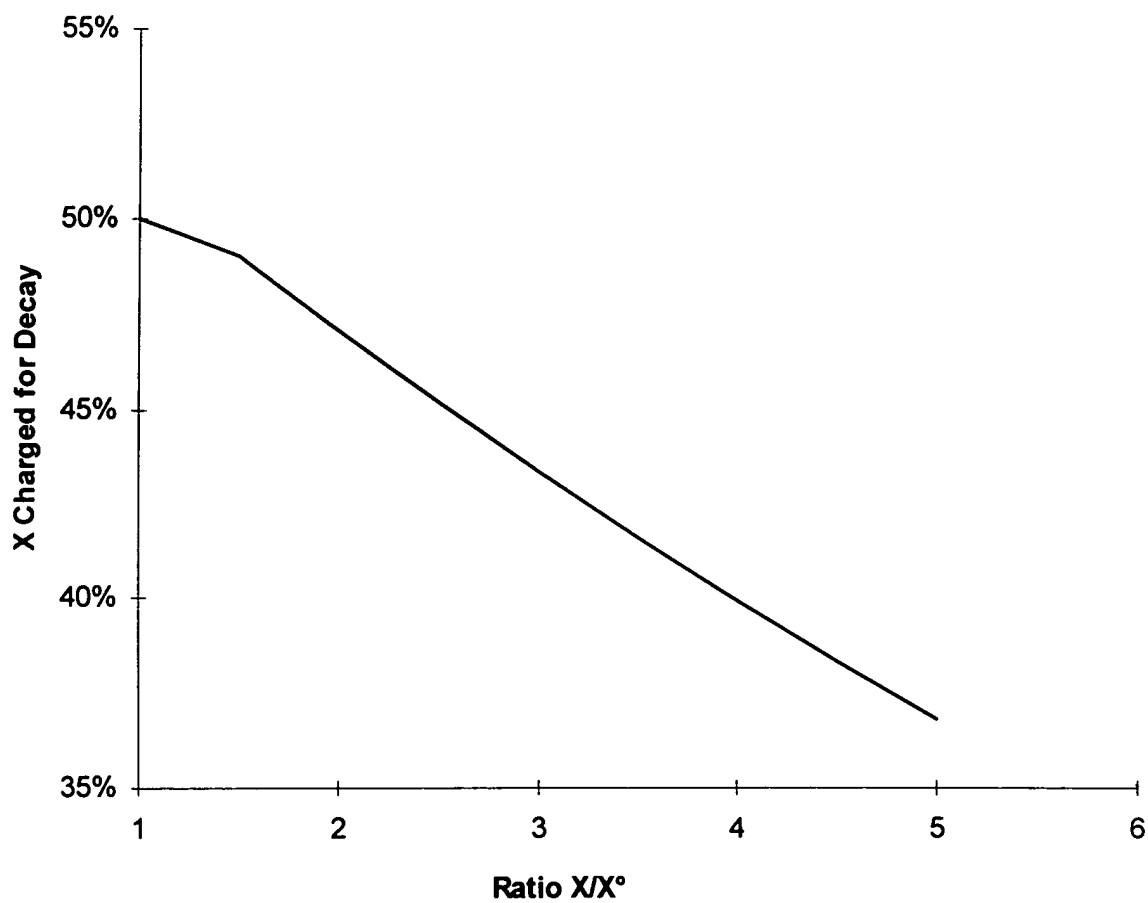
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$$Y = \left[\frac{\Delta X}{\Delta S} \right] = \left[\frac{5.14794}{24.644} \right] = 0.20889 \frac{g X}{g S}$$

FIG.12



$$X_{\text{chrgd}} = 0.504076447609 \times \text{EXP}(-0.0816252748703 \times \text{Ratio})$$

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| Sample Name | Time (hours) | X weight (grams) | S.G. Reading (g S/l, see EQSG) | Measured CO2 Flow (ml / min) |
|-------------|--------------|------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| t_0 | 0 | 1.415 | 183.59 | 0 |
| t_1 | 15.75 | 2.73 | 178.11 | 3.944 |
| t_2 | 21.03 | 5.1 | 158.94 | 12.344 |
| t_3 | 24.5 | 6.18 | 147.99 | 15.074 |
| t_4 | 44.08 | 8.38 | 95.965 | 7.234 |

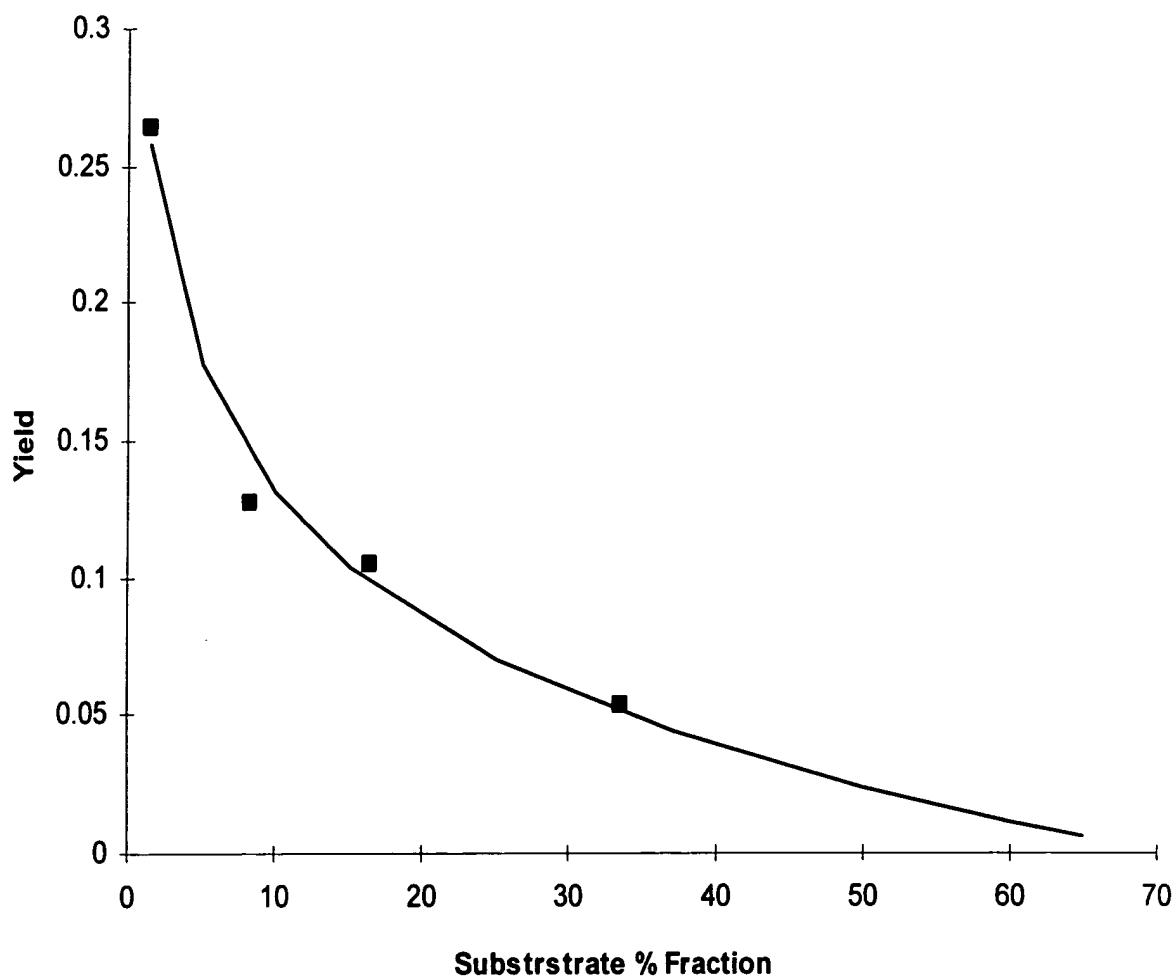
FIG.14

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| A Interval | B Observed New X | C Total hours of interval | D Mass lost from starting X decay |
|---------------|--|---|---|
| $t_0 - t_1$ | 1.315 | 15.75 | 0.089145 |
| $t_1 - t_2$ | 2.37 | 5.28 | 0.0576576 |
| $t_2 - t_3$ | 1.08 | 3.2 | 0.06528 |
| $t_3 - t_4$ | 2.2 | 19.58 | 0.4840176 |
| | | | |
| A Interval | E Sub-total new mass (B + D) | F Ratio new X/Start X (Starting X + E) / Starting X | G Charge what new mass b? (EQXchrgd) |
| $t_0 - t_1$ | 1.404145 | 1.9923 | 0.471 |
| $t_1 - t_2$ | 2.4276576 | 1.88925 | 0.475 |
| $t_2 - t_3$ | 1.14528 | 1.22457 | 0.5 |
| $t_3 - t_4$ | 2.6840176 | 1.434307 | 0.493 |
| | | | |
| A Interval | H Decay of new mass (E x G x C x .004) | I Total new mass yield (E + H) | Amount of sugar used (g/l) |
| $t_0 - t_1$ | 0.0416652 | 1.4458102 | 5.48 |
| $t_1 - t_2$ | 0.024354261 | 2.45201186 | 19.17 |
| $t_2 - t_3$ | 0.007329792 | 1.152609792 | 10.95 |
| $t_3 - t_4$ | 0.103634643 | 2.7876522 | 52.025 |
| | | | |
| A Interval | J Average % S consumed | K Yield g X / g S | L Yield (fm curve) g X / g S |
| $t_0 - t_1$ | 1.4925 | 0.263833977 | 0.258098264 |
| $t_1 - t_2$ | 8.206 | 0.127908809 | 0.144275124 |
| $t_2 - t_3$ | 16.409 | 0.105261168 | 0.097997972 |
| $t_3 - t_4$ | 33.56 | 0.053582936 | 0.05021553 |
| | | | |
| A Interval | M % of actual Yield | | |
| $t_0 - t_1$ | 97.83% | | |
| $t_1 - t_2$ | 112.80% | | |
| $t_2 - t_3$ | 93.10% | | |
| $t_3 - t_4$ | 93.72% | | |

FIG.15

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$$Y = \left\{ 6.6781430538 \times 10^{-2} \times [\ln(\% \text{used})] \right\} + 0.28484103276$$

FIG.16

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| Interval | % fraction of S | Yield fm EQ%used | Ratio fm EQYld (l CO ₂ /g X) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| t ₀ - t ₁ | 1.4925 | 0.2580973 | 0.79324921 |
| t ₁ - t ₂ | 8.206 | 0.14427497 | 1.52663404 |
| t ₂ - t ₃ | 16.409 | 0.097998 | 2.3594534 |
| t ₃ - t ₄ | 33.56 | 0.0502161 | 5.00801093 |
| | | | |
| Interval | Total new X (grams) | liters CO ₂ predicted fm model (g X x Ratio) | liters CO ₂ predicted by actual Yield |
| t ₀ - t ₁ | 1.445803 | 1.1469 | 1.1192 |
| t ₁ - t ₂ | 2.452006 | 3.7433 | 4.2872 |
| t ₂ - t ₃ | 1.1526299 | 2.71968 | 2.5095 |
| t ₃ - t ₄ | 2.787623 | 13.9604 | 12.9849 |
| | | | |
| Interval | Average measured CO ₂ (ml / min) | liters CO ₂ predicted fm avg of measured CO ₂ flow rate at this interval | |
| t ₀ - t ₁ | 1.972 | 1.8635 | |
| t ₁ - t ₂ | 8.144 | 2.58 | |
| t ₂ - t ₃ | 13.709 | 2.6321 | |
| t ₃ - t ₄ | 11.154 | 13.1037 | |

FIG.17